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### HOMICIDE INVESTIGATION 300 BLOCK WEST 44<sup>TH</sup> STREET

On May 17, 2014, at 12:44 a.m., officers from Operations Division South responded to a report of a shooting at a residence in the 300 block of West 44<sup>th</sup> Street. Upon arrival, officers located a 31-year old male inside the residence with gunshot trauma. He was pronounced deceased at the scene. There were two other adults inside the home who were not harmed. The suspect fled in a vehicle after the shooting.

Homicide Detectives responded to continue the investigation. They determined that the suspect in this incident drove to the victim's home and initiated contact at the front door. The victim spoke briefly with the suspect at the front door of the residence. At one point, the suspect produced a handgun and the victim immediately shut the door. The suspect fired through the door striking the victim. The suspect then fled in a vehicle. Detectives believe the suspect was known to the victim and are working to confirm his identity.

The investigation is ongoing at this time. Anyone with information is urged to contact 911 or 88-CRIME.

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